Reviewer Notes: 1) Reviewers are to evaluate the evidence found during the review.

2) All documentation reviewed will be from the current and last four academic years.

3) Documentation will be accepted in

electronic format.

4) This rubric applies to all certification classes. The

applicable class is identified.

5) Not in Compliance (N) indicates limited or no evidence exists.

- 6) In Compliance (C) indicates sufficient evidence exists.
- 7) NA indicates the item does not apply to the EPP

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19 TAC §228.20(b) Governance: Advisory Committee Membership The preparation of educators shall be a collaborative effort among public schools accredited by the Texas Education Agency (TEA) and/or TEA-recognized private schools; regional education service centers; institutions of higher education; and/or business and community interests An advisory committee with members representing as many as possible of the groups identified as collaborators	All	Records of advisory committee membership reflecting at least three of the groups listed in this subsection; and Advisory committee meeting attendance records.			
19 TAC §228.20(b) Governance: Advisory Committee Activity An advisory committeeshall assist in the design, delivery, evaluation, and major policy decisions of the educator preparation program (EPP).	All	Advisory committee member input reflected in the advisory committee minutes.			

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19 TAC §228.20(b) Governance: Advisory Committee Training The approved EPP shall inform each member of the advisory committee of the roles and responsibilities of the advisory committee	All	Advisory committee training materials, date(s), attendance records; or Advisory committee handbook with acknowledgement of receipt by advisory committee member; or Letter of invitation with roles and responsibilities outlined and acknowledged by invitee as to accept or decline; or Bylaws acknowledged receipt by advisory committee member.			
19 TAC §228.20(b) Governance: Advisory Committee Meeting Frequencyand shall meet a minimum of once during each academic year.	All	Dated minutes of each advisory committee meeting.			
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19 TAC §228.20(c) Governance: Support of Governing Body	All	Facilities adequate to support EPP operations			
The governing body and chief operating officershall provide sufficient support to		Knowledge and expertise of Instructors & staff			
enable the EPP to meet all standards set by the SBEC and shall be accountable for the quality of the EPP and the candidates whom the program recommends for certification.		Technology adequate to support EPP operations			
19 TAC §228.20(e)	All	Record of notification to			
Governance: Program Amendment (Accredited)	(as applicable)	TEA.			
An EPP that is rated "accredited" or "accredited-not rated" may amend its program, provided the program informs TEA staff of any amendments 60 days prior to implementing the amendments. An EPP must submit notification of a proposed amendment to its program on a letter signed by the EPP's legally					

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19 TAC §228.20(f) Governance: Program Amendment (Not Accredited)	All (as applicable)	Record of approval or denial from TEA.			
An EPP that is not rated "accredited" or "accredited-not rated" may amend its program, provided the program informs TEA staff of any amendments 120 days prior to implementing the amendments. An EPP must submit notification of a proposed amendment on a letter signed by the EPP's legally authorizedThe EPP will be notified in writing of the approval or denial of its proposal within 60 days following the receipt of the notification by the TEA staff.					

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19 TAC §228.20(g) Governance: Program Calendar	All	Calendar posted on EPP website.			
Each EPP must develop and implement a calendar of program activities that must include a deadline for accepting candidates into a program cycle to assure adequate time for admission, coursework, training, and field-based experience requirements prior to a clinical teaching or internship experience. If an EPP accepts candidates after the deadline, the EPP must develop and implement a calendar of program activities to assure adequate time for admission, coursework, training, and field-based experience requirements prior to a clinical teaching experience or prior to or during an internship experience.		Calendar posted in EPP handbooks and program materials.			
Effective 12/27/2016					
19 TAC §228.10(b)(1) Approval: Status Report An entity approved by the SBEC under this chapter shall be reviewed at least once every five years;At the time of the review, the entity shall submit to the TEA staff a status report	All (Current Review)	Completed status report received at TEA prior to review.			

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19 TAC §228.10(c) Approval: Clinical Teaching An alternative certification program seeking approval to implement a clinical teaching component shall submit a description of the following elements of the program for approval by the TEA staff on an application in a form developed by the TEA staff	All (as applicable)	If candidates complete clinical teaching: EPP clinical teaching status on file with TEA.			
19 TAC §228.10(e) Approval: Addition of Locations An EPP that is rated "accredited," may open additional locations, provided the program informs the SBEC of any additional locations at which the program is providing educator preparation 60 days prior to providing educator preparation at the location	All (as applicable)	Record of letter(s) on letterhead signed by an EPP's legally authorized agent or representative sent by email or regular mail.			

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Program Consolidation or Closure An educator preparation program (EPP) that is consolidating or closing must comply with the following procedures to ensure that all issues relevant to EPP consolidation or closure have been addressed. (1) Written, signed notification to TEA (2) Contact candidates about next steps & retain records (3) Identify a future contact and/or transfer candidate records (4) Submit required data to TEA Effective 12/27/2016	All (as applicable)	EPP notice of consolidation or closure; and EPP notification of candidates; and EPP completion of required SBEC and TEA actions; and Identification of EPP representative.			

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19 TAC §228.17(a) Change of Ownership	All (as applicable)	EPP notice of change of ownership.			
An educator preparation program (EPP) that changes ownership shall notify the Texas Education Agency (TEA) staff of the change of ownership in writing within 10 days of the change.					
With 19 TAC §228.17(b)(1-3) More than 50% of the ownership has changed. Effective 12/27/2016					
19 TAC §228.20(h) Exit Policy All EPPs shall have a published exit policy for dismissal of candidates that is reviewed and signed by candidates upon admission.	All	Policy published on EPP website, candidate handbook, application for admission or other place accessible by applicants and candidates; and			
Effective 10/15/2020		Signed handbook page, application, or signed acknowledgement, in candidate's record			

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19 TAC §227.1(b) Notifications: Required Background Check Educator preparation programs (EPPs) shall inform all applicants that: (1) pursuant to the Texas Education Code (TEC), §22.083, candidates must undergo a criminal history background check prior to employment as an educator; and (2) pursuant to the TEC, §22.0835, candidates must undergo a criminal history background check prior to clinical teaching.	All	Website; or Recruitment information; or Orientation materials; or Admission material.			
19 TAC §227.1(c) Notifications: EPP and Program Information EPPs shall inform all applicants, in writing, of the following: (1) the admission requirements (2) the requirements for program completion;and (3) in accordance with TEC, §21.044(g): (A) the effect of supply and demand forces on the educator workforce in this state; and (B) the performance over time of the EPP for the past five years. Effective 2/28/2016	All	Website; or Recruitment information; or Orientation materials; or Admission material.			

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19 TAC §227.1(d)	All	Website; or			
Notifications: Preliminary Criminal History		Recruitment information; or			
Evaluation		Orientation materials; or			
		Admission material;			
EPPs shall notify, in writing by mail, personal					
delivery, facsimile, email, or an electronic		and			
notification, each applicant to and enrollee in the		Candidate handbook; or			
EPP of the following regardless of whether the		Course materials			
applicant or enrollee has been convicted of an					
offense:					
(1) the <u>potential ineligibility</u> of an individual who					
has been convicted of an offense for issuance of a					
certificate on completion of the EPP;					
(2) the <u>current SBEC rules prescribed in 19 TAC</u>					
§249.16 and					
(3) the right to request a criminal history					
evaluation letter as provided in 19 TAC Chapter					
227, Subchapter B					

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19 TAC §227.10(a)(1) & (2) Admission Requirements: Degree The EPPshall require the following minimum criteria of all applicants seeking initial certification in any class of certificate, unless specified otherwise, prior to admission to the program. (1) For an undergraduate university program, an applicant shall be enrolled in an accredited institution of higher education (IHE). (2) For an alternative certification program or post-baccalaureate program, an applicant shall have, at a minimum, a bachelor's degree earned from and conferred by an accredited IHE.	All (except Superintendent)	Official transcripts.			
19 TAC §242.5(a) Admission Requirements: Degree Prior to admission to an educator preparation program leading to the Superintendent Certificate, an individual must hold, at a minimum, a master's degree from an accredited institution of higher education	Superintendent	Official transcripts.			

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19 TAC §227.10(a)(3)(A) Admission Requirements: GPA For an undergraduate university program, alternative certification program, or post-baccalaureate program, to be eligible for admission into an EPP, an applicant shall have a grade point average (GPA) of at least 2.5 before admission (except CTE candidates in non-degreed certificate areas)	All	Official transcripts; and Documentation of calculations to determine GPA used for admission			

19 TAC §227.10(a)(3)(B)	All	Program policy; and		
Admission Requirements: Exception to Minimum	All	Frogram policy, and		
GPA (10% Exception)	(as applicable)	Documentation signed by the		
		director that certifies each		
an exception to the minimum GPA requirement		applicant's work, business, or career		
may be granted by the program director only in		experience demonstrates		
extraordinary circumstances and may not be used		achievement equivalent to the		
by a program to admit more than 10% of any		academic achievement represented		
incoming class of candidates. An applicant is		by the GPA requirement; and		
eligible for this exception if:		Description of extraordinary		
(i) documentation and certification from the		circumstance; and		
program director that an applicant's work,		Pre-Admission Content Test score		
business, or career experience demonstrates		report.		
achievement equivalent to the academic		·		
achievement represented by the GPA requirement;				
and				
(ii)an applicant must pass an appropriate content				
certification examination Effective 2/28/2016				
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In accordance with the TEC, §21.0441(b),				
applicants who do not meet the minimum GPA				
requirement and have previously been admitted				
into an EPP may request permission to register for				
an appropriate content certification examination if				
the applicant is not seeking admission to the same				
EPP that previously granted test approval for a certification examination in the same certification				
class.				
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(D) An applicant who does not meet the minimum				
GPA requirement and is seeking certification in a				

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class other than classroom teacher must perform at or above a score equivalent to a 2.5 GPA on the Verbal Reasoning, Quantitative Reasoning, and Analytic Writing sections of the GRE® (Graduate Record Examinations) revised General Test Effective 1/1/2017					
19 TAC §227.10(a)(4) Admission Requirements: Minimum Subject-Specific Content Hours For an applicant who will be seeking an initial certificate in the classroom teacher class of certificate, the applicant shall have successfully completed, prior to admission, at least: (A) a minimum of 12 semester credit hours in the subject-specific content area for the certification sought or (B) 15 semester credit hours in the subject-specific content area for the certification sought if the certification sought is for mathematics or science at or above Grade 7; or (C) a passing score on the appropriate content certification examination as specified in Figure: 19 TAC §227.10(a)(4)(C). Effective January 27, 2020	Teacher	Official transcripts; and Record of calculation of content hours by course; and Score report for a comparable examination approved by TEA; or Score report for Pre-Admission Content Test.			

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19 TAC §227.10(a)(5) Admission Requirements: Requirements	Non-teacher	Letter;			
If an applicant has not met the minimum certification, degree, and/or experience requirement(s) for issuance of a standard certificate prior to admission, the EPP shall inform the applicant in writing of any deficiency prior to admission.		Email; or Completed form identifying deficient areas.			
Effective 6/3/2018		Effective 9/1/2022			
19 TAC §227.10(a)(6) Admission Requirements: Basic Skills	All	Score reports; or Official transcripts bearing TSI			
An applicant <u>must demonstrate basic skills</u> in reading, written communication, and mathematics by meeting the requirements of the Texas Success Initiative under the rules established by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB) in Part 1, 19 TAC Chapter 4, Subchapter C,including one of the requirements established by 19 TAC §4.54		requirements.			

19 TAC §227.10(a)(7)	All	Official transcripts with degree from		
Admission Requirements: English Language	All	U.S. university or college; or		
Proficiency		, ,		
		Effective 10/17/2017:		
An applicant must demonstrate the English language proficiency skills as specified in 19 TAC §230.11 (A) An applicant for CTE certification that does not require a bachelor's degree from an accredited IHE may satisfy the English language proficiency requirement with an associate's degree or high school diploma or the equivalent that was earned at an accredited IHE or an accredited high school in the United States. (B) An applicant to a university undergraduate program that leads to a bachelor's degree may satisfy the English language proficiency requirement by meeting the English language proficiency requirement of the accredited IHE at which the applicant is enrolled. Effective 2/28/2016		The official language of the country is English and appears on the SBEC approved list of countries found in Figure 19 TAC §230.11(b)(5)(C); or Official TOEFL scores: Speaking – 24 Listening – 22 Reading – 22 Writing – 21 Admits prior to 10/22/2017: US Transcript, Letter from Institution, or Official TOEFL score of 26 on Speaking.		
With				
19 TAC §230.11(c)				
An educator who has received a State Board for				
Educator Certification (SBEC)-issued standard				
certificate shall not be required to demonstrate				
English language proficiency as prescribed in				
subsection (b)(5)(B) and (C) of this section for				

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purposes of admission into an EPP to obtain additional SBEC-issued certifications. Effective 3/3/2022					
Link to Out of Country Credential Review Results 19 TAC §227.10(a)(8) Admission Requirements: Application An applicant must submit an application	All	Completed application			
19 TAC §227.10(a)(8) Admission Requirements: Screen An applicant must participate in either an interview or other screening instrument to determine if the EPP applicant's knowledge, experience, skills, and aptitude are appropriate for the certification sought. Note: Principal & Superintendent 2 or more per 19	All	Interview with standard questions and evaluated with a cut score or rubric that includes descriptions of levels of performance quality based on a coherent set of criteria; or Other screening instrument evaluated with a cut score or a rubric that includes descriptions of levels of			
TAC §241.5 & §242.5. 19 TAC §227.10(a)(9) Admission Requirements: Other Academic	All (as applicable)	performance quality based on a coherent set of criteria. Records of academic requirements; and			
An applicant must fulfill any other <u>academic</u> criteria for admission that are published and applied consistently to all EPP applicants.	(as applicable)	Academic requirements are published on website, or catalogues, or brochures, or orientation materials.			

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19 TAC §227.10(b) Admission Requirements: Additional Requirements An EPP may adopt requirements in addition to and not in conflict with those required in this section.	All (as applicable)	Records of admission requirements; and Documentation of published requirements in candidate records; and Admission requirements are published on website, or catalogues,			
19 TAC §227.10(c) Admission Requirements: EPP May Not Admit	All (as applicable)	or brochures, or orientation materials. Transfer form; and Application for admission; and			
An EPP may not admit an applicant who: (1) has been reported as completing all EPP requirements by another EPP in the same certification category or class, unless the applicant only needs certification examination approval; or (2) has been employed for three years in a public school under a permit or probationary certificate as specified in 19 TAC Chapter 230, Subchapter D,unless the applicant is seeking clinical teaching that may lead to the issuance of an initial standard certificate.		Official transcripts; and Records in ECOS and ASEP.			

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19 TAC §227.10(d) Admission Requirements: CTE Applicant (SOQ)	Teacher (as applicable)	License and/or other supporting documentation of work experience;			
An EPP may admit an applicant for CTE certification who has met the experience and preparation requirements specified in 19 TAC Chapter 230and Chapter 233		and Statement of qualifications; and Diploma or Transcript.			

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19 TAC §227.10(e) Admission Requirements: T&I Workforce Applicant An EPP may admit an applicant for the Trade and Industrial Workforce Training: Grades 6-12 certification who has met the following requirements: (1) has been issued a high school diploma or a postsecondary credential, certificate, or degree; (2) has seven years of full-time wage-earning experience within the preceding 10 years in an approved occupation for which instruction is offered; (3) holds with respect to that occupation a current license, certificate, or registration, as applicable, issued by a nationally recognized accrediting agency based on a recognized test or measurement; and (4) within the period described by paragraph (2) of this subsection, has not been the subject of a complaint filed with a licensing entity or other agency that regulates the occupation of the person, other than a complaint that was determined baseless or unfounded by that entity or agency.	Teacher (as applicable)	License and/or other supporting documentation of work experience; and Statement of qualifications; and Diploma or Transcript.	NA	rinulings	IIIILIAIS

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19 TAC §227.10(f) Admission Requirements: Out of Country Applicant An EPP may admit an applicant who has met the minimum academic criteria through credentials from outside the United States that are determined to be equivalent to those required by this section using the procedures and standards specified in 19 TAC Chapter 245. An EPP at an entity that is accredited by an accrediting organization recognized by the THECB may use its own foreign credential evaluation service to meet the requirement described in 19 TAC §245.10(a)(2), if the entity is in good standing with its accrediting organization. Link to English Language Proficiency Results	All (as applicable)	Original, course-by-course evaluation reflecting equivalent degree(s) information prepared by a foreign credential evaluation service recognized by TEA.			

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19 TAC §227.10(g) Admission Requirements: EC-3 Admission	Teacher	Valid certificate			
	(as applicable)				
An applicant is eligible to enroll in an EPP for the purpose of completing the course of instruction, defined in 19 TAC §228.35(i)(2), that is required for the issuance of an Early Childhood: Prekindergarten-Grade 3 certificate if the individual holds a valid standard, provisional, or one-year certificate specified in 19 TAC §230.31 in one of the following certificate categories: (see TAC for categories)					

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Contingency Admission An applicant may be accepted into an alternative certification program or post-baccalaureate program on a contingency basis pending receipt of an official transcript showing degree conferred, as specified in 19 TAC §227.10(a)(2), provided that: (1) the applicant is currently enrolled in and expects to complete the courses and other requirements for obtaining, at a minimum, a bachelor's degree at the end of the semester in which admission to the program is sought; (2) all other admission requirements specified in 19 TAC §227.10 have been met; (3) the EPP must notify the applicant of the offer of contingency admission in writing by mail, personal delivery, facsimile, email, or an electronic notification; and (4) the applicant must accept the offer of contingency admission in writing by mail, personal delivery, facsimile, email, or an electronic notification. Effective 3/1/2016	All (as applicable)	Written contingency admission offer letter; and Written and dated contingency admission acceptance letter; and Required admission documents; and Official transcripts; and Information from university confirming date of graduation; and Program records indicating which semester admission applies.			

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19 TAC §227.15(b) Contingency Admission: Admission Date The effective date of contingency admission shall be included in the offer of contingency admission.	All (as applicable)	Written contingency admission offer letter			
Effective 1/1/2017 19 TAC §227.15(c) Contingency Admission: 7-Day Notice of Admission An EPP must notify the Texas Education Agency within seven calendar days of a candidate's contingency admission. Effective 1/1/2017	All (as applicable)	Written contingency admission offer letter; and Written and dated contingency admission acceptance letter; and ECOS admission record.			
19 TAC §227.15(d) Contingency Admission: Training Start Date An applicant admitted on a contingency basis may begin program training and may be approved to take a certification examination, but shall not be recommended for a probationary certificate until the bachelor's degree or higher from an accredited institution of higher education (IHE) has been conferred.	All (as applicable)	Written contingency admission offer letter; and Written and dated contingency admission acceptance letter; and ECOS admission record; and ECOS certification record.			

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19 TAC §227.15(e) Contingency Admission: No Coursework or Training Prior to Admission Except as provided by this section, an alternative certification program or post-baccalaureate program, prior to admission on a contingency basis, shall not provide coursework, training, and/or examination approval to an applicant that leads to initial certification in any class of certificate. A post-baccalaureate or alternative certification program at an IHE may admit an applicant if coursework and training was provided by the same	All (as applicable)	Written and dated formal admission acceptance letter; and Coursework record with start and completion dates; and Testing history.			
IHE as part of: (1) the degree to be conferred; (2) a prerequisite for a master's degree leading to initial certification; or (3) a different post-baccalaureate program of study. Effective 3/1/2016					

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19 TAC §227.15(f) Contingency Admission: Valid Dates The contingency admission will be valid for only the fall, spring, or summer semester for which the contingency admission was granted and may not be extended for another semester	All (as applicable)	Written formal offer letter; and Official transcripts showing degree conferred.			
19 TAC §227.17 Formal Admission For an applicant to be formally admitted to an educator preparation program (EPP), the applicant must meet all the admission requirements specified in 19 TAC §227.10. (b) For an applicant to be formally admitted to an EPP, the EPP must notify the applicant of the offer of formal admission in writing by mail, personal delivery, facsimile, email, or an electronic notification. (c) For an applicant to be considered formally admitted to the EPP, the applicant must accept the offer of formal admission in writing by mail, personal delivery, facsimile, email, or an electronic notification. Effective 3/1/2016	All	Required admission documents; and Written formal admission offer letter; and Written and dated formal admission acceptance letter.			

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19 TAC §227.17(d) Formal Admission: Dates	All	Written formal admission offer letter					
The <u>effective date</u> of formal admission was included in the offer of formal admission.							
Effective 1/1/2017							
19 TAC §227.17(e) Formal Admission: 7-Day Notice of Admission	All	Written formal admission offer letter; and					
An EPP must notify the Texas Education Agency within seven calendar days of a candidate's formal		Written and dated formal admission acceptance letter; and					
admission.		ECOS admission record.					
Effective 1/1/2017							

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19 TAC §227.17(f) Formal Admission: No Coursework or Training Prior to Admission Except as provided by 19 TAC §227.15, an alternative certification program or post-baccalaureate program, prior to formal admission, shall not provide coursework, training, and/or examination approval to an applicant that leads to initial certification in any class of certificate. A post-baccalaureate or alternative certification program at an institution of higher education (IHE)	All	Written and dated formal admission acceptance letter; and Coursework record with start and completion dates; and Testing history.	8		
may admit an applicant if coursework and training was provided by the same IHE as part of: (1) a previous degree that was conferred; (2) a prerequisite for a master's degree leading to initial certification; or (3) a different post-baccalaureate program of study. Effective 3/1/2016					

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Incoming Class Average: 3.0 GPA The overall grade point average (GPA) of each incoming class admitted between September 1 and August 31 of each year by an educator preparation program (EPP), including an alternative certification program, may not be less than 3.00 on a four-point scale or the equivalent. (b) A person seeking career and technical education certification is not included in determining the overall GPA of an incoming class. (See TAC for calculation options.) See the Data Dashboard for evidence	AII	Incoming class average calculated by TEA each year.						
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19 TAC §228.30(a) Standards-based Curriculum The educator standards adopted by the State Board for Educator Certification shall be the curricular basis for all educator preparation	All	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Application of educator standards identified in syllabi/course outlines; or Application of educator standards identified in course/training lesson plans.			

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THE Educator standards adopted by the State Board for Educator Certification shall for each certificate, address the relevant Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS).	Teacher	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Syllabi/course outlines identifying training in using TEKS to inform instruction and assessment; or Instructor lesson plans reflecting instruction and use of TEKS.			
19 TAC §228.30(b) Research-based Curriculum The curriculum for each educator preparation program shall rely on scientifically based research to ensure educator effectiveness.	All	Syllabi/course outlines with bibliographies/references.			

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19 TAC §228.30(c) Code of Ethics Instruction The following subject matter shall be included in the curriculum for candidates seeking initial certification in any certification class:	All	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Syllabi/course outlines; or Coursework.			
(1) the code of ethics and standard practices for Texas educators, pursuant to 19 TAC Chapter 247, which include: (A) professional ethical conduct, practices, and performance; (B) ethical conduct toward professional colleagues; and (C) ethical conduct toward students;					

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19 TAC §228.30(c) Dyslexia Instruction The following subject matter shall be included in the curriculum for candidates seeking initial certification in any certification class: (2) instruction in detection and education of students with dyslexia, as indicated in the Texas Education Code (TEC), §21.044(b);	All	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Syllabi/course outlines; or Coursework.			
19 TAC §228.30(c) Mental Health Instruction The following subject matter shall be included in the curriculum for candidates seeking initial certification in any certification class: (3) instruction regarding mental health, substance abuse, and youth suicide, as indicated in the TEC, §21.044(c-1).	All	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Syllabi/course outlines; or Coursework.			

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19 TAC §228.30(c) Educator & Student Expectations The following subject matter shall be included in the curriculum for candidates seeking initial certification in any certification class: (4) the skills that educators are required to possess, the responsibilities that educators are required to accept, and the high expectations for students in this state; Effective 12/27/2016	All	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Syllabi/course outlines; or Coursework.			
19 TAC §228.30(c) Classroom Management Skills The following subject matter shall be included in the curriculum for candidates seeking initial certification in any certification class: (5) the importance of building strong classroom management skills; Effective 12/27/2016	All	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Syllabi/course outlines; or Coursework.			

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Teacher & Principal Evaluation Framework The following subject matter shall be included in the curriculum for candidates seeking initial certification in any certification class: (6) the framework in this state for teacher and principal evaluation;	All	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Syllabi/course outlines; or Coursework.			
Effective 12/27/2016 19 TAC §228.30(c) Appropriate Boundaries The following subject matter shall be included in the curriculum for candidates seeking initial certification in any certification class: (7) appropriate relationships, boundaries, and communications between educators and students; and Effective 12/20/2018	All	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Syllabi/course outlines; or Coursework.			

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19 TAC §228.30(c) Digital Literacy The following subject matter shall be included in the curriculum for candidates seeking initial certification in any certification class: (8) instruction in digital learning, virtual instruction, and virtual learning as defined in TEC, §21.001, including a digital literacy evaluation followed by a prescribed digital learning curriculum (A) be aligned with the latest version of the International Society for Technology in Education's (ISTE) standards as appears on the ISTE website; (B) provide effective, evidence-based strategies to determine a person's degree of digital literacy; and (C) include resources to address any deficiencies identified by the digital literacy evaluation;	All	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Syllabi/course outlines; or Coursework.			
Effective 12/20/2018 (digital literacy) Effective 9/1/2022 (virtual instruction/virtual learning)					

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19 TAC §228.30(d) English Language Proficiency Standards The following subject matter shall be included in the curriculum for candidates seeking initial certification in the classroom teacher certification class: (1) the relevant TEKS, including the English Language Proficiency Standards;	Teacher	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Syllabi/course outlines; or Coursework.			
19 TAC §228.30(d) Reading Instruction The following subject matter shall be included in the curriculum for candidates seeking initial certification in the classroom teacher certification class: (2) reading instruction, including instruction that improves students' content-area literacy;	Teacher	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Syllabi/course outlines; or Coursework.			

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19 TAC §228.30(d) Prekindergarten Guidelines The following subject matter shall be included in the curriculum for candidates seeking initial certification in the classroom teacher certification class: (3) for certificates that include early childhood and prekindergarten, the Prekindergarten Guidelines; and	Teacher	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Syllabi/course outlines; or Coursework.			
19 TAC §228.30(d) Teacher Standards The following subject matter shall be included in the curriculum for candidates seeking initial certification in the classroom teacher certification class: (4) the skills and competencies captured in the Texas teacher standards in 19 TAC Chapter 149, Subchapter AA.	Teacher	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Syllabi/course outlines; or Coursework.			

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19 TAC §228.30(e) Administrator Standards For candidates seeking certification in the principal certification class, the curriculum shall include the skills and competencies captured in the Texas administrator standards, as indicated in 19 TAC Chapter 149, Subchapter BB.	Principal	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Syllabi/course outlines; or Coursework.			

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19 TAC §228.30(f) PreK-3 Curriculum The following educator content standards from 19 TAC Chapter 235 shall be included in the curriculum for candidates who hold a valid standard, provisional, or one-year classroom teacher certificate specified in 19 TAC §230.31 in a certificate category that allows the candidates who are seeking the Early Childhood: Prekindergarten-Grade 3 certificate to teach all subjects in Prekindergarten, Kindergarten, Grade 1, Grade 2, or Grade 3: (1) Child Development provisions of the Early Childhood: Prekindergarten-Grade 3 Content Standards; (2) Early Childhood-Grade 3 Pedagogy and Professional Responsibilities Standards; and (3) Science of Teaching Reading Standards.	Teacher (as applicable)	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Syllabi/course outlines; or Coursework.			
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19 TAC §228.33(a) Intensive Pre-Service: Program Duration To offer intensive pre-service, an educator preparation program (EPP) shall provide the following programmatic requirements for a candidate prior to issuing an intern certificate: (1) a four-week minimum intensive program; Effective for admits after 1/1/2020	Teacher (IPS as applicable)	Benchmark documents, degree plans, published calendar			
19 TAC §228.33(a) Intensive Pre-Service: Supervised Instruction To offer intensive pre-service, an educator preparation program (EPP) shall provide the following programmatic requirements for a candidate prior to issuing an intern certificate: (2) a minimum of 12 instructional days with one hour of supervised instruction per day; Effective for admits after 1/1/2020	Teacher (IPS as applicable)	Benchmark documents, degree plans, published calendar; and Teaching log; and Cooperating teacher agreement, placement information			

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19 TAC §228.33(a) Intensive Pre-Service: Observation/Coaching To offer intensive pre-service, an educator preparation program (EPP) shall provide the following programmatic requirements for a candidate prior to issuing an intern certificate:	Teacher (IPS as applicable)	Observation documents			
(3) a minimum of four face-to-face observation/feedback coaching cycles provided by qualified coaches with observations that are a minimum of 15 minutes and coaching meetings that are a minimum of 30 minutes; and Effective for admits after 1/1/2020					

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19 TAC §228.33(a) Intensive Pre-Service: Coursework/Training Requirements To offer intensive pre-service, an educator preparation program (EPP) shall provide the following programmatic requirements for a candidate prior to issuing an intern certificate:	Teacher (IPS as applicable)	Degree plans, syllabi, benchmark documents, published calendars; and FBE logs & reflections.			
(4) the requirements regarding coursework and/or training for a candidate seeking initial certification in the classroom teacher certification class as specified in 19 TAC §228.35(b)(1) and (2). Effective for admits after 1/1/2020					

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19 TAC §228.33(b) Intensive Pre-Service: Candidate Coach Training An EPP offering intensive pre-service shall ensure that: (1) a candidate coach participates in a minimum of four observation/feedback coaching cycles provided by program supervisors and ongoing training; Effective for admits after 1/1/2020	Teacher (IPS as applicable)	Certificates of participation, training sign in sheets; and Training materials			
19 TAC §228.33(b) Intensive Pre-Service: Candidate Coach/TEA-Approved Training An EPP offering intensive pre-service shall ensure that: (2) a candidate coach completes a TEA-approved observation training or has completed a minimum of 150 hours of observation/feedback training; and Effective for admits after 1/1/2020	Teacher (IPS as applicable)	Certificates of completion; or Training sign in sheets			

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19 TAC §228.33(b) Intensive Pre-Service: Candidate Coach Certification An EPP offering intensive pre-service shall ensure that: (3) a candidate coach shall have a current certification in the class in which supervision is provided. Effective for admits after 1/1/2020	Teacher (IPS as applicable)	Valid educator certificate			
19 TAC §228.33(c) Intensive Pre-Service: Intern Certificate Eligibility A candidate participating in intensive preservice will be eligible for an intern certificate by completing: (1) the requirements as prescribed in 19 TAC §230.36(f); Effective for admits after 1/1/2020	Teacher (IPS as applicable)	Pedagogical rubric w/ score identified; and Passing score on TX PACT (and TExES supplementals where applicable); and Transcript reflecting conferred bachelor's degree.			

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19 TAC §228.33(c) Intensive Pre-Service: Intern Certificate Eligibility	Teacher (IPS as applicable)	Benchmark documents or transcripts; and Observation rubric with			
A candidate participating in intensive preservice will be eligible for an intern certificate by completing:	,	passing score; and FBE logs			
(2) programmatic requirements under 19 TAC §228.33(a)(1)-(4); Effective for admits after 1/1/2020					

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19 TAC §228.33(c) Intensive Pre-Service: Intern Certificate Eligibility A candidate participating in intensive pre- service will be eligible for an intern certificate by completing:	Teacher (IPS as applicable)	Observation rubric/instrument with passing score identified			
(3) the requirements of the following proficiencies in 19 TAC §150.1002 for pedagogical skills that are used by the program and approved by the state and meet all of the following performance level measures: (see TAC for specific performance measures)					
Effective for admits after 1/1/2020					

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19 TAC §228.33(d) Intensive Pre-Service: Probationary Certificate Eligibility A candidate participating in intensive preservice will be eligible for a probationary certificate as prescribed in 19 TAC §230.37(f). Effective for admits after 1/1/2020	Teacher (IPS as applicable)	Pedagogical rubric w/ score identified; and Passing score on TX PACT (and TEXES supplementals where applicable); and Transcript reflecting conferred bachelor's degree; Benchmark documents or transcripts; and Observation rubric with passing score; and FBE logs			
19 TAC §228.35(a)(1) Coursework & Training: Adequate Preparation An educator preparation program (EPP) shall provide coursework and/or training to adequately prepare candidates for educator certification and ensure the educator is effective in the classroom.	All	Candidate testing history; and Syllabi/course outlines; and Program benchmarks; and Degree plan/transcripts.			

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19 TAC §228.35(a)(2) Coursework & Training: Quality of Coursework	All	Syllabi/course outline; or Coursework.			
Coursework and/or training shall be sustained, rigorous, intensive, interactive, candidate-focused, and performance-based.					
19 TAC §228.35(i) Coursework & Training: EC-3 Certification (1) an EPP shall integrate the following concepts and themes throughout the coursework and training: (A) using planning and teaching practices that support student learning in early childhood, including (B) assessing the success of instruction and student learning through developmentally appropriate assessment, including (C) creating developmentally appropriate learning environments, including (D) working with families, students, and the community through (E) using a diversity and equity framework, such as	Teacher (as applicable)	Certification scope and sequence; and Curriculum map; or Syllabi; or Instructor materials.			

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19 TAC §228.35(a)(3) Coursework & Training: Coursework Completion All coursework and/or training shall be completed prior to EPP completion and standard certification.	All	Program benchmarks; and Attendance records or attendance policies that require a certain level of attendance for a passing grade; and Program schedule of courses/modules; and Degree plan/transcripts for each candidate reviewed.			
19 TAC §228.35(a)(4) Coursework & Training; District Training for Late Hires With appropriate documentation such as certificate of attendance, sign-in sheet, or other written school district verification, 50 clock-hours of training may be provided by a school district and/or campus that is an approved Texas Education Agency (TEA) continuing professional education provider to a candidate who is considered a late hire. The training provided by the school district	All (as applicable)	Certificate of attendance; or Sign-in sheet; or Other written school district verification.			

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and/or campus must meet the criteria described in the Texas Education Code (TEC), §21.451 and must be directly related to the certificate being sought. Effective 12/27/2016					
Coursework & Training: Prior Coursework Policy-Military Each EPP must develop and implement specific criteria and procedures that allow: (A) military service member or military veteran candidates to credit verified military service, training, clinical and professional experience, or education toward the training, education, work experience, or related requirements (other than certification examinations) for educator certification requirements, provided that the military service, training, or education is directly related to the certificate being sought; Effective 12/27/2016	All	Policies and procedures in handbooks; or Advisory committee minutes; or Admission information; or Orientation material; or Website information.			
Effective 9/1/2022					

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Coursework & Training: Prior Coursework Policy-Non-Military Each EPP must develop and implement specific criteria and procedures that allow: (B) candidates who are not military service members or military veterans to substitute prior or ongoing service, training, or education, provided that the experience, education, or training is not also counted as a part of the internship, clinical teaching, or practicum requirements, was provided by an approved EPP or an accredited institution of higher education within the past five years, and is directly related to the certificate being sought.	All	Policies and procedures in handbooks; or Advisory committee minutes; or Admission information; or Orientation material; or Website information.			
Effective 12/27/2016					

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Coursework & Training: Quality of Online Coursework Coursework and training that is offered online must meet, or the EPP must be making progress toward meeting, criteria set for accreditation, quality assurance, and/or compliance with one or more of the following: (A) Accreditation or Certification by the Distance Education Accrediting Commission; (B) Program Design and Teaching Support Certification by Quality Matters; (C) Part 1, Chapter 4, Subchapter P, of this title (relating to Approval of Distance Education Courses and Programs for Public Institutions); or (D) Part 1, Chapter 7 of this title (relating to Degree Granting Colleges and Universities Other than Texas Public Institutions).	All (as applicable)	Accreditation documentation; or Quality assurance documentation; or THECB compliance documentation.			

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19 TAC §228.35(b) Coursework Hours: Required Hours-Teacher Certification Coursework and/or training for candidates seeking initial certification in the classroom teacher certification class. An EPP shall provide each candidate with a minimum of 300 clock-hours of coursework and/or training.	Teacher (except T&I Workforce)	Document tracking hours for courses; or Degree plans; or Transcripts; or Program Course/Module Schedule; or Benchmarks.			
19 TAC §228.35(b) Coursework Hours: Required Hours-T&I Workforce An EPP shall provide a minimum of 200 clock-hours of coursework and/or training for a candidate seeking a Trade and Industrial Workforce Training certificate as specified by 19 TAC §233.14(e). Effective 12/20/2018	Teacher (T&I Workforce)	Document tracking hours for courses; or Degree plans; or Transcripts; or Program Course/Module Schedule; or Benchmarks.			

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Coursework Hours: Required Hours-Non-Teacher Coursework and/or training for candidates seeking initial certification in a certification class other than classroom teacher. An EPP shall provide coursework and/or training to ensure that the educator is effective in the assignment. An EPP shall provide a candidate with a minimum of 200 clock-hours of coursework and/or training that is directly aligned to the educator standards for the applicable certification class.	Non-teacher	Document tracking hours for courses; or Degree plans; or Transcripts; or Program Course/Module Schedule; or Benchmarks.			
19 TAC §228.35(j) Coursework Hours: Required Hours-TVI (1) An EPP must provide a minimum of 300 hours of coursework and/or training related to the educator standards for that certificate adopted by the SBEC.	Teacher (TVI Supplemental)	Coursework transcript; or Benchmark document; and Observation documents			

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Teacher	Document tracking hours for courses; or			
	Degree plans; or Transcripts; or Program Course/Module Schedule; or Syllabi; or Benchmarks; and			
Teacher	Program Course/Module Schedule; or Syllabi; or Benchmarks; and Assessments			
	Class Teacher	Teacher Document tracking hours for courses; or Degree plans; or Transcripts; or Program Course/Module Schedule; or Syllabi; or Benchmarks; and Assessments Teacher Program Course/Module Schedule; or Syllabi; or Benchmarks; and Assessments	Teacher Document tracking hours for courses; or Degree plans; or Transcripts; or Program Course/Module Schedule; or Syllabi; or Benchmarks; and Assessments Teacher Program Course/Module Schedule; or Syllabi; or Benchmarks; and Assessments	Teacher Document tracking hours for courses; or Degree plans; or Transcripts; or Program Course/Module Schedule; or Syllabi; or Benchmarks; and Assessments Teacher Program Course/Module Schedule; or Syllabi; or Benchmarks; and Assessments

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19 TAC §228.35(b)(1) Pre-Service Requirements: FBE Hours Unless a candidate qualifies as a late hire, a candidate shall complete the following prior to any clinical teaching or internship: (1) a minimum of 30 clock-hours of field-based experience	Teacher	Start date of clinical teaching or internship; and Field-based experience observation log reflecting date, subject area, grade level, campus, district, time in and time out, and interaction with students; verifying signatures of observed teacher; and Written or videotaped reflections of observation.			

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Pre-Service Requirements: Late Hire A late hire for a school district teaching position may begin employment under an intern or probationary certificate before completing the pre-internship requirements of 19 TAC §228.35(b) but shall complete these requirements within 90 school days of assignment.	Teacher (as applicable)	Record of coursework completed (start and end dates); and Field-based experience observation log reflecting date, subject area, grade level, campus, district, time in and time out, and interaction with students; verifying signatures of observed teacher; and Reflections of observation; and Record of assignment date.			

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(1) FBE: Settings An EPP shall provide evidence of ongoing and relevant field-based experiences throughout the EPP in a variety of educational settings with diverse student populations, including observation, modeling, and demonstration of effective practices to improve student learning	Teacher	Field-based experience observation log reflecting date, subject area, grade level, campus, district, time in and time out, and interactions with students; verifying signatures of observed teacher; and Reflections of observation.			

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(1)(A) FBE: Interactive Hours Field-based experiences must include 15 clock-hours in which the candidate, under the direction of the EPP, is actively engaged in instructional or educational activities that include: (i) authentic school settings in a public school accredited by the TEA or other school approved by the TEA for this purpose; (ii) instruction by content certified teachers; (iii) actual students in classrooms/instructional settings with identity-proof provisions; (iv) content or grade-level specific classrooms/instructional settings; and (v) written reflection of the observation.	Teacher	Field-based experience observation log reflecting date, subject area, grade level, campus, district, time in and time out, and interactions with students; verifying signatures of observed teacher; and Reflections of observation.			

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(1)(B): FBE: Electronic Hours Up to 15 clock-hours of field-based experience may be provided by use of electronic transmission or other video or technology-based method. Field-based experience provided by use of electronic transmission or other video or technology-based method must include: (i) direction of the EPP; (ii) authentic school settings in an accredited public or private school; (iii) instruction by content certified teachers; (iv) actual students in classrooms/instructional settings with identity-proof provisions; (v) content or grade-level specific classrooms/instructional settings; and (vi) written reflection of the observation.	Teacher (as applicable)	Field-based observation log reflecting date, subject area, and grade level; verifying signatures of program staff; and Reflections of observation.			

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(1)(C) FBE: Long-Term Substitute Hours Up to 15 clock-hours of field-based	Teacher (as applicable)	Official service records; and Verified experience in			
experience may be satisfied by serving as a long-term substitute. A long-term substitute is an individual who has been hired by a school or district to work at least 30 consecutive days in an assignment as a		instructional or educational activities.			
classroom teacher. Experience may occur after the candidate's admission to an EPP or during the two years before the date the candidate is admitted to the EPP. The					
candidate's experience in instructional or educational activities must be documented by the EPP and must be obtained at a public or private school accredited or approved for the purpose by the TEA.					

19 TAC §228.35(e)(2) Skills Implementation: Clinical Teaching or Internship (2) For initial certification in the classroom teacher certification class, each EPP shall also provide at least one of the following. (A) Clinical Teaching or (B) Internship Jump to Exemptions from Clinical Teaching or Internship	Teacher	Clinical teaching placement lists with placement information including start and end dates, start and end time; grade level, subject area, cooperating teacher name, and field supervisor assigned; and Clinical teaching log including dates, start and end times each day; verified by cooperating teacher.	
		Or Completed statement of eligibility; and Internship placement lists with placement information including tests passed, start and end dates, start and end times, district, campus, grade level, subject area, mentor, and field supervisor assigned.	

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(2)(A) Skills Implementation: Clinical Teaching Assignment (A) A candidate must have a clinical teaching assignment for each subject area in which the candidate is seeking initial certification. With	Teacher	Clinical teaching placement lists with placement information including start and end dates, start and end time; grade level, subject area, cooperating teacher name, and field supervisor assigned; and			
(II) A clinical teaching assignmentshall not be less than an average of four hours each day in the subject area and grade level of certification sought. The average includes intermissions and recesses but does not include conference and duty-free lunch periods.		Clinical teaching log including dates, start and end times each day; verified by cooperating teacher.			

19 TAC §228.35(e)(2)(A)(i)	Teacher	Clinical teaching		
Skills Implementation: Clinical Teaching		placement lists with		
Duration		placement information		
(I) Clinical teaching must meet one of the following requirements:		including start and end dates, start and end time; grade level, subject area,		
(-a-) <u>a minimum of 14 weeks</u> (no fewer than 70 full days), with a full day being 100% of the school day; or		cooperating teacher name, and field supervisor assigned; and		
(-b-) a minimum of 28 weeks (no fewer than 140 half days), with a half day being 50% of the school day.		Clinical teaching log including dates, start and end times each day; verified by cooperating teacher.		
With		If up to 5 days of clinical teaching are missed:		
19 TAC §228.35(k)(1)(A)				
Candidates employed as certified		Request letter from		
educational aides may satisfy their clinical		candidate; and Approval by		
teaching assignment requirements through their instructional duties		appropriate program staff; and		
the clinical teaching assignment must be		Identified start date		
for a minimum of 490 hours (14-week		and end date of		
<u>equivalent</u>).		clinical teaching; and		
Effective 12/20/2019		Make-up plan if more than five days; and		
Effective 12/20/2018		than five days; andDocumentation of		
		make-up time.		

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(2)(A)(iii) Skills Implementation: Clinical Teaching is Successful-Proficiency	Teacher	Field supervisor observation instruments			
Clinical teaching is successful when the candidate demonstrates proficiency in each of the educator standards for the assignment					
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19 TAC §228.35(e)(2)(A)(iii) Skills Implementation: Clinical Teaching is Successful-Recommendation Clinical teaching is successful when the field supervisor and cooperating teacher recommend to the EPP that the candidate should be recommended for a standard certificate. If either the field supervisor or cooperating teacher do not recommend the person who does not recommend the candidate must provide documentation supporting the lack of recommendation to the candidate and either the field supervisor or cooperating teacher. Effective 12/20/2018	Teacher	Written documentation from field supervisor; and Written documentation from cooperating teacher. Evidence for 'do not recommend' (if applicable): Written documentation provided to candidate; and Written documentation provided to field supervisor; or Written documentation			
		provided to cooperating teacher.			

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(2)(B) Skills Implementation: Internship-Duration	Teacher	Completed statement of eligibility; and			
(B) Internship. An internship must be for a minimum of one full school year (ii) The beginning date for an internship for the purpose of field supervision is the first day of instruction with students in the school or district in which the internship takes place. 19 TAC §228.35(e)(2)(B)(i): An EPP may permit an internship of up to 30 school days fewer than the minimum if due to maternity leave, military leave, illness, bereavement, or if the late hire date is after the first day of the school year.		Internship placement lists with placement information including tests passed, start and end dates, start and end times, district, campus, grade level, subject area, mentor, and field supervisor assigned. If up to 30 days of internship are missed: Request letter from candidate; and Approval by appropriate program staff; and Identified start date and end date of internship; and Make-up plan if more than thirty days; and Documentation of make-up time.			

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(2)(B) Skills Implementation: Internship- Placement (B) Internship. An internship must be for the classroom teacher assignment or assignments that match the certification category or categories for which the candidate is prepared by the EPP.	Teacher	Completed statement of eligibility; and Internship placement lists with placement information including tests passed, start and end dates, start and end times, district, campus, grade level, subject area, mentor, and field supervisor assigned.			

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(2)(B)(iii) Skills Implementation: Internship-Subject Area	Teacher	Record of coursework completed; and			
An internship assignment shall not be less than an average of four hours each day in the subject area and grade level of certification sought. The average includes intermissions and recesses but does not include conference and duty-free lunch periods. Effective 12/27/2016		Completed statement of eligibility; and Internship placement lists with placement information including tests passed, start and end dates, start and end times, district, campus, grade level, subject areas, mentor, and field supervisor assigned; and			
		Intern or probationary certificates; and Field supervisor observation logs; and Letter from school district.			

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Skills Implementation: Internship-Additional Subject Area An EPP may permit an additional internship assignment of less than an average of four hours each day if: (I) the primary assignment is not less than an average of four hours each day in the subject area and grade level of certification sought; (II) the EPP is approved to offer preparation in the certification category required for the additional assignment; (III) the EPP provides ongoing support for each assignment as prescribed in subsection (g) of this section; (IV) the EPP provides coursework and training for each assignment to adequately prepare the candidate to be effective in the classroom; and (V) the employing school or district notifies the candidate and the EPP in writing that an assignment of less than four hours will be required. Effective 12/27/2016	Teacher (as applicable)	Record of coursework completed; and Completed statement of eligibility; and Internship placement lists with placement information including tests passed, start and end dates, start and end times, district, campus, grade level, subject areas, mentor, and field supervisor assigned; and Intern or probationary certificates; and Field supervisor observation logs; and Letter from school district.			

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(2)(B)(iv) Skills Implementation: Internship Certification	Teacher	Intern or probationary certificate.			
A candidate <u>must hold an intern or</u> <u>probationary certificate while participating</u> <u>in an internship</u>					
19 TAC §228.35(e)(2)(B)(v) Skills Implementation: Additional Internship	Teacher (as applicable)	Record of successful or unsuccessful internship; and			
An EPP may recommend an additional internship if:		Deficiency plan; and Benchmarks.			
(I) the EPP certifies that the <u>first internship</u> was not successful, the EPP has developed a <u>plan to address any deficiencies</u> identified by the candidate and the candidate's field supervisor, and <u>the EPP implements the plan</u> during the additional internship; or (II) the EPP certifies that the <u>first internship</u> was successful, and that the candidate is making satisfactory <u>progress toward</u> completing the EPP before the end of the additional internship.					
Effective 12/27/2016					

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Skills Implementation: Internship Placement-T&I Workforce An internship for a Trade and Industrial Workforce Training certificate may be at an accredited institution of higher education if the candidate teaches not less than an average of four hours each day, including intermissions and recesses, in a dual credit career and technical instructional setting Effective 12/20/2018	Teacher (T&I Workforce)	Record of coursework completed; and Completed statement of eligibility; and Internship placement lists with placement information including tests passed, start and end dates, start and end times, district, campus, grade level, subject areas, mentor, and field supervisor assigned; and Intern or probationary certificates; and Field supervisor			

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(2)(B)(ix) Skills Implementation: Successful Internship-Candidate Proficiency	Teacher	Field supervisor observation instruments			
An internship is successful when the candidate demonstrates proficiency in each of the educator standards for the assignment					
Effective 12/20/2018					

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(2)(B)(ix) Skills Implementation: Successful Internship-Recommendation An internship is successful when the field supervisor and campus supervisor recommend to the EPP that the candidate should be recommended for a standard certificate. If either the field supervisor or campus supervisor do not recommend the person who does not recommend the candidate must provide documentation supporting the lack of recommendation to the candidate and either the field supervisor or campus supervisor. Effective 12/20/2018	Teacher	Written documentation from field supervisor; and Written documentation from cooperating teacher. Evidence for 'do not recommend' (if applicable): Written documentation provided to candidate; and Written documentation provided to field supervisor; or Written documentation provided to cooperating teacher.			

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(2)(B)(vi) Skills Implementation: Notification of Certificate Deactivation	All (as applicable)	Written notice from candidate; and			
 (II)the candidate resigns, is non-renewed, or is terminated by the school or district (III)the candidate is discharged or is released from the EPP (IV)the candidate withdraws from the EPP (V)the internship assignment does not meet the requirements 		written notice to candidate; and Written notice to Campus or district; and Written notice to TEA.			

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(2)(B)(vii) & (viii) Skills Implementation: Notification of Certificate Deactivation	All (as applicable)	Written notice from candidate; and			
If the <u>candidate leaves the internship</u> <u>assignment</u> for any of the reasons identified in clause (vi)(II)-(V) of this subparagraph:		candidate; and Written notice to Campus or district; and			
(I) the EPP, the campus or district personnel, and the candidate must <u>inform each other</u> within one calendar week of the candidate's <u>last day</u> in the assignment; and		Written notice to TEA.			
(II) TEA must receive the certificate deactivation request with all related documentation from the EPP within two calendar weeks of the candidate's last day of the assignment in a format determined by TEA.					
(viii) The EPP must communicate the requirements in clause (vii) of this subparagraph to candidates and campus or district personnel prior to the assignment start date.					
Effective 10/15/2020					

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(2)(B)(vi) Skills Implementation: Ongoing Support	All	Field supervisor observations; and			
An EPP must provide ongoing support to a candidate as described in 19 TAC §228.35(g) for the full term of the initial and any additional internship, unless, prior to the expiration of that term:		Record of ongoing support by field supervisor, such as emails, logs, etc. Or			
(I) a <u>standard certificate is issued</u> to the candidate during any additional internship under a probationary certificate; (II) the <u>candidate resigns</u> , is non-renewed, or <u>is terminated</u> by the school or district.		Certificate deactivation notifications (if applicable): Standard certificate or written notice from			
 (III) the candidate is discharged or is released from the EPP. (IV) the candidate withdraws from the EPP. (V) the internship assignment does not meet the requirements described in this 		candidate; and Written notice to candidate; and; Written notice to Campus			
subparagraph. Effective 12/27/2016		or district; and Written notice to TEA.			

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19 TAC §228.35(4) Skills Implementation: First of Year Experiences	Teacher	Documentation of field- based experiences and/or clinical teaching			
Candidates participating in an internship or a clinical teaching assignment need to experience a full range of professional responsibilities that shall include the start of the school year. The start of the school year is defined as the first 15 instructional days of the school year. If these experiences cannot be provided through clinical teaching or an internship, they must be provided through field-based experiences.		experiences.			
Effective 12/27/2016					

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Skills Implementation: Head Start Placement An internship or clinical teaching experience for certificates that include early childhood may be completed at a Head Start Program with the following stipulations: (A) a certified teacher is available as a trained mentor; (B) the Head Start program is affiliated with the federal Head Start program and approved by the TEA; (C) the Head Start program teaches three-and four-year-old students; and (D) the state's prekindergarten curriculum guidelines are being implemented.	All (as applicable)	Teacher certification and mentor training records; and Federal and TEA approval records; and Records documenting Head Start student population; and Head Start curriculum.			

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(6) Skills Implementation: Clinical Teaching or Internship Placement-Actual School Setting An internship or clinical teaching experience must take place in an actual school setting rather than a distance learning lab or virtual school setting.	Teacher	Internship or clinical teaching placement lists with placement information including tests passed, start and end dates, start and end times, district, campus, grade level, subject areas, mentor, and field supervisor assigned; and Statement of eligibility (only required for internship).			

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(7) Skills Implementation: Clinical Teaching or Internship Setting An internship or clinical teaching experience shall not take place in a setting where the candidate: (A) has an administrative role over the mentor or cooperating teacher; or (B) is related to the field supervisor, mentor, or cooperating teacher	Teacher	Internship or clinical teaching placement lists with placement information including tests passed, start and end dates, start and end times, district, campus, grade level, subject areas, mentor, and field supervisor assigned; and Statement of eligibility (only required for internship).			
19 TAC §228.35(e)(3)(B) Skills Implementation: Clinical Teaching Exception An EPP may request an exception to the clinical teaching option described in this subsection. Note: EPP must implement exception as approved.	Teacher (as applicable)	Record of approval from SBEC; and Curriculum documents; or Field supervision logs, observation documents; and Other documents specific to the program, as approved.			

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(8) Skills Implementation: Non-Teacher Practicum For certification in a class other than classroom teacher, each EPP shall provide a practicum for a minimum of 160 clock-hours	Non-teacher	Field supervisor observation logs reflecting educator standards-based activities; and Practicum information with start and end dates, district, campus, site, and field supervisor assigned.			
19 TAC §228.35(j)(2) Skills Implementation: TVI Clinical Experience An EPP shall provide a clinical experience of at least 350 clock-hours in a supervised educator assignment in a public school accredited by the TEA or other school approved by the TEA for this purpose.	Teacher (TVI Supplemental)	Field supervisor observation logs reflecting educator standards-based activities; and Practicum information with start and end dates, district, campus, site, and field supervisor assigned.			
19 TAC §228.35(e)(8) & (j)(2) Skills Implementation: Candidate Proficiency in Practicum/Clinical Experience a candidate must demonstrate proficiency in each of the educator standards for the certificate class being sought.	Non-teacher Teacher (TVI Supplemental)	Field supervisor observation instruments.			

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(8)(A) Skills Implementation: Practicum Placement-Actual School Setting A practicum experience must take place in an actual school setting rather than a distance learning lab or virtual school setting.	Non-teacher	Practicum information with start and end dates, district, campus, site, and field supervisor assigned.			
19 TAC §228.35(e)(8)(B) Skills Implementation: Practicum Setting A practicum may not take place exclusively during a summer recess.	Non-teacher	Practicum information with start and end dates, district, campus, site, and field supervisor assigned.			
19 TAC §228.35(e)(8)(C) Skills Implementation: Practicum Setting A practicum shall not take place in a setting where the candidate: (i) has an administrative role over the site supervisor; or (ii) is related to the field supervisor or site supervisor	Non-teacher	Practicum placement lists with placement information with start and end dates, district, campus, site and field supervisor assigned. and Statement of eligibility (only required for internship).			

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(8)(D)(i) Skills Implementation: Non-teacher Internship	Non-teacher (as applicable)	Statement of Eligibility and Program Requirements; and			
An intern or probationary certificate may be issued to a candidate for a certification class other than classroom teacher		Testing history; and Document tracking hours for courses; or			
(i) A candidatemust meet all <u>requirements</u> <u>established by the recommending EPP</u> , which shall be based on the qualifications and requirements for the class of certification sought and the duties to be		Degree plans; or Transcripts; or Program Course/Module Schedule; or			
performed by the holder of a probationary certificate in that class.		Benchmarks			

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(8)(D)(ii) Skills Implementation: Additional Practicum An EPP may recommend an additional practicum under a probationary certificate if:	Non-teacher (as applicable)	Record of successful or unsuccessful practicum; and Deficiency plan; and Benchmarks.			
(I) the EPP certifies that the <u>first practicum</u> was not successful, the EPP has developed a plan to address any deficiencies identified by the candidate and the candidate's field supervisor, and <u>the EPP implements the plan</u> during the additional practicum; or (II) the EPP certifies that the <u>first practicum</u> was successful and that the <u>candidate is</u> making satisfactory progress toward completing the EPP before the end of the additional practicum.					

19 TAC §228.35(e)(8)(E) & (j)(2) Skills Implementation: Successful	on-teacher			Initials
Practicum/Clinical Experience Teac	acher (TVI pplemental)	Written documentation from field supervisor; and Written documentation from site supervisor. For 'do not recommend' (if applicable): Written documentation provided to candidate; and Written documentation provided to field supervisor; or Written documentation provided to campus site supervisor.		

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19 TAC §228.35(e)(9) Skills Implementation: Site Approval TEA may approve a school that is not a public school accredited by the TEA as a site for field-based experience, internship, clinical teaching, and/or practicum. (A) All DoDEA and TEPSAC accredited schoolsare approved; (B) An EPP may file an application with the TEA for approval, of a public school, a private school, or a school system located within any state or territory of the United States, as a site for field-based experience. (C) An EPP may file an application with the TEA for approval of a public or private school located within any state or territory of the United States, as a site for an internship, clinical teaching, and/or practicum (D) An EPP may file an application with the TEA for approval of a public or private		Record of approval from TEA.	-	Reviewer Notes	
school located <u>outside the United States</u> , as a site for <u>clinical teaching</u> , <u>internship</u> , <u>or</u> practicum					

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19 TAC §228.35(f) Campus Supervision: Mentor, Cooperating Teacher, or Site Supervisors Assigned an EPP shall collaborate with the campus or district administrator to assign each candidate a mentor during the candidate's internship, assign a cooperating teacher during the candidate's clinical teaching experience, or assign a site supervisor during the candidate's practicum	All	Candidate placement information showing date of placement, name of candidate, name of cooperating teacher/mentor/site supervisor, subject area, grade level, supervising administrator name, campus name, and district name.			
19 TAC §228.35(j)(2) Campus Supervision: Mentor/Cooperating Teacher Assigned-TVI (A) An EPP will provide guidance, assistance, and support for the TVI certification candidate by assigning a cooperating teacher and/or providing individual or group consultation. (B) An EPP will collaborate with the program coordinator for the Texas School for the Blind and Visually Impaired Statewide Mentor Program to assign a TVI mentor for the TVI certification candidate.	Teacher (TVI Supplemental)	Candidate placement information showing date of placement, name of candidate, name of cooperating teacher/mentor/site supervisor, subject area, grade level, supervising administrator name, campus name, and district name.			

19 TAC §228.2(14), §228.2 (26), and	All	Service record and	
§228.2(33)		teaching certificate; and	
Campus Supervision: Qualifications of			
Cooperating Teachers, Mentors, Site		Evidence of	
Supervisors		accomplishment as an	
		educator:	
(14) Cooperating teacherFor a clinical		 Evaluations that 	
teacher candidate, an educator who has <u>at</u>		include evidence of	
least three years of teaching experience;		student learning; or	
who is an <u>accomplished educator as shown</u>			
by student learning;who is currently		Campus or district	
<u>certified</u> in the certification category for the		reports that include	
clinical teaching assignment for which the		evidence of student	
clinical teacher candidate is seeking		learning; or	
certification;			
		 Letters of 	
(26) MentorFor an internship candidate, an		recommendation	
educator who has <u>at least three years of</u>		that include evidence	
teaching experience; who is an		of student learning.	
accomplished educator as shown by student		Or	
<u>learning</u> ;who is <u>currently certified</u> in the			
certification category in which the internship		A form, signed by the	
candidate is seeking certification;		campus or district	
		administrator, attesting	
(33) Site supervisorFor a practicum		that the cooperating	
candidate, an educator who has <u>at least</u>		teachers, mentors, and	
three years of experience in the aspect(s) of		site supervisors meet	
the certification class being pursued by the		requirements for	
candidate;who is <u>currently certified</u> in the		certification, experience,	
certification class in which the practicum		and accomplishment as	
candidate is seeking certification; who is		an educator.	

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an accomplished educator as shown by					
student learning;					
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19 TAC §228.35(f) Campus Supervision: Qualified Mentors, Cooperating Teachers, or Site Supervisors If an individual who meets the certification category and/or experience criteria for a cooperating teacher, mentor, or site supervisor is not available, the EPP and campus or district administrator shall assign an individual who most closely meets the criteria and document the reason for selecting an individual that does not meet the criteria	All	Candidate placement information showing date of placement, name of candidate, name of cooperating teacher/mentor/site supervisor, subject area, grade level, supervising administrator name, campus name, and district name; and Documentation from EPP and campus or district administrator is required if an individual with the required credentials is not available.			

19 TAC §228.35(f) Campus Supervision: Training Mentors, Cooperating Teachers, and Site Supervisors	All	Training materials and dated attendance records with signatures; or		
The EPP is responsible for providing mentor, cooperating teacher, and/or site supervisor training that relies on scientifically-based research, but the program may allow the training to be provided by a school, district, or regional education service center if properly documented. With \$228.2(14) cooperating teacherwho has completed cooperating teacher training, including training in how to coach and mentor teacher candidates, by the EPP		School district/ESC certificate of completion; or Cooperating teacher/mentor/site supervisor handbook acknowledgement; or Training materials and dated attendance information for online training.		
§228.2(26) mentorwho has completed mentor training, including training in how to coach and mentor teacher candidates, by an EPP §228.2(33) site supervisorwho has completed training by the EPP, including training in how to coach and mentor candidates				

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19 TAC §228.2(14), §228.2(26), §228.2(33) Campus Supervision: Training Mentors, Cooperating Teachers, and Site Supervisors (14) cooperating teacherwho has	All	Training materials and dated attendance records with signatures; or School district/ESC			
completed cooperating teacher training, by the EPP <u>within three weeks of being</u> <u>assigned to a clinical teacher</u>		certificate of completion; or Cooperating			
(26) mentorwho has completed mentor training, by an EPP within three weeks of being assigned to the intern; and		teacher/mentor/site supervisor handbook acknowledgement; or			
(33) site supervisorwho has completed training by the EPP,within three weeks of being assigned to a practicum candidate		Training materials and dated attendance information for online training; and			
		Candidate placement information.			

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19 TAC §228.35(j)(2) Campus Supervision: Cooperating Teacher/Mentor Training-TVI	Teacher (TVI Supplemental)	Training materials and dated attendance records with signatures; or			
(A) The EPP is responsible for providing training to cooperating teachers and/or consultation providers.		School district/ESC certificate of completion; or			
(B) The Texas School for the Blind and Visually Impaired Statewide Mentor Program is responsible for providing training for all TVI mentors.		Cooperating teacher/mentor/site supervisor handbook acknowledgement; or Training materials and dated attendance information for online training; and			
		Candidate placement information.			
19 TAC §228.35(g), §228.35(h), & §228.35(j)(2)(C) Field Supervision: Candidates Assigned a Field Supervisor	All	Candidate placement information showing date of placement and field supervisor assigned; or			
Supervision of each candidate shall be conducted with the structured guidance and regular ongoing support of an experienced educator who has been trained as a field supervisor.		Field supervisor logs.			

19 TAC §228.2(18) Field Supervision: Field Supervisor Qualifications Field supervisors held the required credentials appropriate for the candidate(s) supervised. (18) Field supervisorA currently certified educator,who preferably has advanced credentials,shall have at least three years	All	Candidate placement information showing date of placement and field supervisor assigned; or Field supervisor logs; and Records of field supervisor certification, degree, experience, and/or continuing		
of experience and current certification in the class in which supervision is provided. A field supervisor shall be an accomplished educator as shown by student learning. If an individual is not currently certified, an individual must hold at least a master's degree in the academic area or field related to the certification class for which		 Resume; or Service records; or Letters of recommendation Evidence of accomplishment as an educator: 		
supervision is being provided and comply with the same number, content, and type of continuing professional education requirements described in 19 TAC §232.11, §232.13, and §232.15. Effective 12/27/2016		 Evaluations that include evidence of student learning; or Campus or district reports that include evidence of student learning; or Letters of recommendation that include evidence of student learning. 		

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Field Supervision: Limits on Field Supervisor Assignments A field supervisor shall not be employed by the same school where the candidate being supervised is completing his or her clinical teaching, internship, or practicum. A mentor, cooperating teacher, or site supervisor, assigned as required by 19 TAC §228.35(f) may not also serve as a candidate's field supervisor.	All	Candidate placement information showing date of placement and field supervisor assigned; or Field supervisor logs; and Records of field supervisor certification, degree, experience, and/or continuing professional education.			

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19 TAC §228.35(g), §228.35(h), & (j)(2)(C) Field Supervision: Field Supervisor Training who has been trained as a field supervisor. Supervision provided on or after September 1, 2017, must be provided by a field supervisor who has completed TEA- approved observation training.	All	Training material and dated attendance records with signature of field supervisor; or Handbook acknowledged with field supervisor signature; or Training materials and dated attendance information for online training. After 9/1/2017, certificate of completion of TEA-approved observation training.			

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19 TAC §228.35(g), §228.35(h), §228.35(j) Field Supervision: Field Supervisor Initial Contact (g)initial certification of teachers The initial contact, which may be made by telephone, email, or other electronic communication, with the assigned candidate	All	Field supervisor log; or Emails; or Phone records; or Other electronic communication; or Course syllabi with first			
must occur within the first three weeks of assignment. (h)for certification in a certification class other than classroom teacher The initial contact, which may be made by telephone, email, or other electronic communication, with the assigned candidate must occur within the first quarter of the assignment.		contact class noted with attendance records.			
(j)(2)(C) TVI SupplementalThe <u>initial</u> <u>contact</u> , which may be made by telephone, email, or other electronic communication, with the assigned candidate must occur <u>within the first quarter of the assignment</u> .					

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19 TAC §228.35(g), §228.35(h), & §228.35(j)(2)(C) Field Supervision: Pre- and Post-Conferences For each formal observation, the field supervisor shall participate in an individualized pre-observation conference with the candidate;provide written feedback through an individualized, synchronous, and interactive post-observation conference with the candidate;Neither the pre-observation conference nor the post-observation conference need to be onsite.	AII	Documentation verifying pre-conference and individualized post-conference; and Observation documents signed by candidate and field supervisor with date, start and stop time, subject, and grade level with record of instructional strategies observed and feedback.			
19 TAC §228.35(g), §228.35(h), & §228.35(j)(2)(C) Field Supervision: Educational Practices Observed For each formal observation, the field supervisor shalldocument educational practices observed;	All	Observation instruments completed by field supervisors			

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19 TAC §228.35(g) & §228.35(h) Field Supervision: Observation-Written Feedback (g)for initial certification of teachersFor each formal observation, the field supervisor shallprovide a copy of the written feedback to the candidate's cooperating teacher or mentor. (h)for certification in a certification class other than classroom teacherFor each formal observation, the field supervisor shallprovide a copy of the written feedback to the candidate's site supervisor.	All	Observation instrument with cooperating teacher, mentor, and/or campus supervisor signature; or Email with delivery/read receipt; or Dated copy of letter on program letterhead sent with observation results.			
19 TAC §228.35(g), §228.35(h), & §228.35(j)(2)(C) Field Supervision: Informal Observations & Ongoing CoachingInformal observations and coaching shall be provided by the field supervisor as appropriate	All	Field supervisor log; or Email records with delivery/read receipts; or Phone records; or Observation forms; or Other electronic records of observation and coaching.			

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19 TAC §228.35(g) & §228.35(h) Field Supervision: Field Supervisor Collaboration (g)In a clinical teaching experience, the field supervisor shall collaborate with the candidate and cooperating teacher throughout the clinical teaching experience. For an internship, the field supervisor shall collaborate with the candidate, mentor, and supervising campus administrator throughout the internship. (h)The field supervisor shall collaborate with the candidate and site supervisor throughout the practicum experience.	All	Field supervisor log; or Email records with delivery/read receipts; or Phone records; or Signed observation forms.			
19 TAC §228.35(g)(1) Field Supervision: Formal Observations- Duration & Format (1) Each formal in-person observation must be at least 45 minutes in duration, must be conducted by the field supervisor, and must be on the candidate's site in a face-to-face setting.	Teacher	Observation forms signed by candidate and field supervisor with date, start and stop time, subject, and grade level with record of instructional strategies observed.			

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Field Supervision: Formal Observations- Duration & Format (2) Each formal virtual observation must be: (A) at least 45 minutes in length; (B) conducted by the field supervisor; (C) followed by a post-observation conference within 72 hours of the educational activity; and (D) conducted through use of an unedited electronic transmission, video, or technology-based method. Effective 9/1/2022	Teacher (as applicable)	Observation forms signed by candidate and field supervisor with date, start and stop time, subject, and grade level with record of instructional strategies observed.			
19 TAC §228.35(g)(3) Field Supervision: Formal Observations- Frequency (3) An EPP must provide the <u>first formal</u> observation within the first third of all clinical teaching assignments and the <u>first six</u> weeks of all internship assignments.	Teacher	Observation forms signed by candidate and field supervisor with date, start and stop time, subject, and grade level with record of instructional strategies observed.			

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19 TAC §228.35(g)(4) Field Supervision: Internship-Number of Observations (Intern Certificate-One Assignment) (4) For an internship under an intern certificate or an additional internship described in subsection (e)(2)(B)(v)(I) of this section:	Teacher	Observation forms signed by candidate and field supervisor with date, start and stop time, subject, and grade level with record of instructional strategies observed.			
(A) an EPP must provide a minimum of three formal observations during the first half of the internship and a minimum of two formal observations during the last half of the internship; and					
(B) at least three of the minimum formal observations must be in-person. Effective 9/1/2022					

19 TAC §228.35(g)(6) Field Supervision: Internship-Number of Observations (Intern Certificate-More than One Assignment) (6) If an internship under an intern certificate or an additional internship described in subsection (e)(2)(B)(v)(I) of this section involves certification in more than one certification category that cannot be taught concurrently during the same period of the school day: (A) an EPP must provide a minimum of three observations in each assignment; (B) for each assignment, the EPP must provide at least two formal observations during the first half of the internship and one formal observation during the second half of the internship; (C) at least two of the minimum formal observations must be in-person for each assignment; and	Teacher	Observation forms signed by candidate and field supervisor with date, start and stop time, subject, and grade level with record of instructional strategies observed.		
(D) if an EPP chooses to provide <u>formal</u> <u>virtual observations</u> , it must provide <u>at least</u> <u>two formal virtual observations in addition</u> <u>to the two minimum formal in-person</u> observations for each assignment.				

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19 TAC §228.35(g)(5) Field Supervision: Internship-Number of Observations (Probationary Certificate-One Assignment) (5) For a first-year internship under a probationary certificate or an additional internship described in subsection (e)(2)(B)(v)(II) of this section:	Teacher	Observation forms signed by candidate and field supervisor with date, start and stop time, subject, and grade level with record of instructional strategies observed.			
(A) an EPP must provide a minimum of one formal observation during the first third of the assignment, a minimum of one formal observation during the second third of the assignment, and a minimum of one formal observation during the last third of the assignment;					
(B) at least two of the minimum formal observations must be in-person; and					
(C) if an EPP chooses to provide formal virtual observations, it must provide at least two formal virtual observations in addition to the two minimum formal in-person observations.					
Effective 9/1/2022					

Field Supervision: Internship-Number of Observations (Probationary Certificate-More than One Assignment) (7) For a first-year internship under a probationary certificate or an additional internship described in subsection (e)(2)(B)(v)(II) of this section that involves certification in more than one certification category that cannot be taught concurrently during the same period of the school day: (A) an EPP must provide a minimum of one formal observation in each of the assignments during the first half of the assignment and a minimum of one formal observation in each assignment during the second half of the assignment; (B) at least two of the minimum formal observations must be in-person for each assignment; and	Teacher	Observation forms signed by candidate and field supervisor with date, start and stop time, subject, and grade level with record of instructional strategies observed.		
(C) if an EPP chooses to provide <u>formal</u> <u>virtual</u> observations, it must provide <u>at least</u> <u>two formal virtual observations in addition</u> <u>to the two minimum formal in-person</u> <u>observations for each assignment</u> . Effective 9/1/2022				

19 TAC §228.35(g)(8) & (9) Field Supervision: Clinical Teaching-Number of Observations (8) For a 14-week, full-day clinical teaching assignment, an EPP must provide a minimum of one formal observation during the first third of the assignment, a minimum of one formal observation during the second third of the assignment, and a minimum of one formal observation during the last third of the assignment.	Teacher	Observation forms signed by candidate and field supervisor with date, start and stop time, subject, and grade level with record of instructional strategies observed.		
For an all-level clinical teaching assignment in more than one location or in an assignment that involves certification in more than one certification category that cannot be taught concurrently during the same period of the school day, a minimum of two formal observations must be provided during the first half of the assignment and a minimum of one formal observation must be provided during the second half of the assignment. For either of these assignments:				
(A) at least two of the minimum formal observations must be in-person for each assignment; and				

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(B) if an EPP chooses to provide formal					
virtual observations, it must provide at least					
two formal virtual observations in addition					
to the two minimum formal in-person					
observations for each assignment.					
(9) For a <u>28-week, half-day</u> clinical teaching					
assignment or a full-day clinical teaching					
assignment that exceeds 14 weeks and					
extends beyond one semester:					
(A) an EPP must provide a minimum of two					
formal observations during the first half of					
the assignment and a minimum of two					
formal observations during the last half of					
the assignment; and					
(B) at least two of the minimum formal					
observations must be in-person for each					
assignment.					
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19 TAC §228.35(h) & §228.35(j)(2)(C) Field Supervision: Practicum-Formal Observation Duration (1) Formal observations must be at least 135 minutes in duration in total throughout the practicum and must be conducted by the field supervisor.	Non-teacher Teacher (TVI Supplemental)	Observation forms signed by candidate and field supervisor with date, start and stop time, subject, and grade level with record of instructional strategies observed.			
(i) (TVI) Formal observations must <u>be at least</u> 135 minutes in duration in total throughout the clinical experience and must be conducted by the field supervisor.					
19 TAC §228.35(h)(2) & §228.35(j)(2)(C)(ii) Field Supervision: Practicum-Observation Format If a formal observation is not conducted on the candidate's site in a face-to-face setting, the formal observation may be provided by use of electronic transmission or other video or technology-based method. A formal observation that is not conducted on the	Non-teacher Teacher (TVI Supplemental	Observation forms signed by candidate and field supervisor with date, start and stop time, subject, and grade level with record of instructional strategies observed.			
candidates' site in a face-to-face setting must include a pre- and post-conference.					

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19 TAC §228.35(h)(3) & §228.35(j)(2)(C)(iii) Field Supervision: Practicum-Observation Number & Frequency (3) Regardless of the type of certificate held by a candidate during a practicum, an EPP must provide a minimum of one formal observation within the first third of the practicum, one formal observation within the second third of the practicum, and one formal observation within the final third of the practicum. (iii) (TVI) An EPP must provide a minimum of one formal observation within the first third of the clinical experience, one formal observation within the second third of the clinical experience, and one formal observation within the final third of the clinical experience.	Non-teacher Teacher (TVI Supplemental	Observation forms signed by candidate and field supervisor with date, start and stop time, subject, and grade level with record of instructional strategies observed.			

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19 TAC §228.35(I)(1) & (2) Exemptions: from Clinical Teaching or Internship (1) Under the TEC, §21.050(c), a candidate	Teacher (as applicable)	Record from the THECB documenting exemption eligibility. Service record; or			
who receives a bachelor's degree required for a teaching certificate on the basis of higher education coursework completed while receiving an exemption from tuition and fees under the TEC, §54.363, is exempt from the requirements of this chapter relating to field-based experience, internship, or clinical teaching.		Record of current employment.			
(2) Under the TEC, §21.0487(c)(2)(B), a candidate's employment by a school or district as a Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps instructor before the person was enrolled in an EPP or while the person is enrolled in an EPP is exempt from any clinical teaching, internship, or field-based experience program requirement. Link to Clinical Teaching/Internship Requirement					

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EC-3 Certification Requirements for Certified Teachers: Teachers Certified in Early Childhood Areas (2) An EPP shall provide each candidate who holds a valid standard, provisional, or one-year classroom teacher certificate specified in 19 TAC §230.31 in a certificate category that allows the applicant to teach all subjects in Prekindergarten, Kindergarten, Grade 1, Grade 2, or Grade 3 with a minimum of 150 clock-hours of coursework and/or training that is directly aligned to the educator standards as specified in 19 TAC Chapter 235, Subchapter B, Division 1, and that is based on the concepts and themes specified in 19 TAC §228.35(i)(1). A clinical teaching, internship, or practicum assignment is not required for completion of program requirements.	Teacher (as applicable)	Document tracking hours for courses; or Degree plans; or Coursework transcripts; or Program Course/Module Schedule; or Syllabi; or Benchmark documents; and Assessments			

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19 TAC §228.40(a) Benchmarks	All	Benchmark documents			
To ensure that a candidate for educator certification is prepared to receive a standard certificate, the educator preparation program (EPP) shall establish benchmarks					
19 TAC §228.40(a) Candidate Assessment	All	Assessments; and Rubrics.			
To ensure that a candidate for educator certification is prepared to receive a standard certificate, the educator preparation program (EPP) shall establishstructured assessments of the candidate's progress throughout the EPP.					

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19 TAC §228.40(b) & §228.40(d) Test Preparation (b) An EPP is responsible for ensuring that each candidate is adequately prepared to pass the appropriate content pedagogy examination(s) required for certification, unless that content pedagogy test is used for admission purposes. (d) An EPP shall determine the readiness of each candidate to take the appropriate certification examination of content, pedagogy, and professional responsibilities, including professional ethics and standards of conduct.	All	Candidate document(s) reflecting meeting criteria for testing with date; and Syllabi/course outlines; or Benchmarks.			
19 TAC §228.40(d) Test Approval An EPP shall not grant test approval for a certification examination until a candidate has met all of the requirements for admission to the EPP and has been contingently or formally admitted into the EPP.	All	Criteria for testing published; and Dated record verifying criteria met.			

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19 TAC §228.40(c) Change Certificate Category Upon the written request of the candidate, an EPP may prepare a candidate and grant test approval for a classroom teacher certificate category other than the category for which the candidate was initially	Teacher (as applicable)	Written request of candidate.			
admitted to the EPP. 19 TAC §228.40(e) Program Evaluation For the purposes of EPP improvement, an entity shall continuously evaluate the design and delivery of the EPP components based on performance data, scientifically-based research practices, and the results of internal and external feedback and assessments.	All	Evaluation plan detailing the activity, timeline, person responsible; and Data results from internal and external sources; and Dated evaluation reports; and Advisory committee minutes.			

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19 TAC §228.40(f) Records Retention	All	Candidate records including:				
An EPP shall <u>retain documents</u> that evidence a candidate's eligibility for admission to the		Admission documents; and				
program and evidence of completion of all program requirements for a period of five years after a candidate completes, withdraws from, or is discharged or released		Observation & other field supervision documents; and				
from the program.		Benchmark documents.				
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Component VI: Professional Conduct	Certificate Class	Evidence	C/N or NA	Reviewer Notes	Reviewer Initials				
19 TAC §228.50 Ethical Staff During the period of preparation, the educator preparation program shall ensure that the individuals preparing candidatesunderstand and adhere to 19 TAC Chapter 247.	All	Signed statement by staff of reading, understanding and abiding.							
19 TAC §228.50 Ethical Candidates During the period of preparation, the educator preparation program shall ensure thatthe candidates themselves understand and adhere to 19 TAC Chapter 247.	All	Signed statement by candidates of reading, understanding and abiding.							
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Component VII: Complaints Procedures	Certificate Class	Evidence	C/N or NA	Reviewer Notes	Reviewer Initials
19 TAC §228.70(b)(1) Complaints Process	All	Complaint process			
The EPP shall adopta complaint procedure that requires the EPP to timely attempt to resolve complaints at the EPP level before a complaint is filed with TEA staff.					
19 TAC §228.70(b)(1) Complaints Process: On File at TEA	All	Complaint process on file with TEA.			
The EPP shall <u>send to TEA staff,</u> for inclusion in the EPP's records, a complaint procedure that requires the EPP to timely attempt to resolve complaints at the EPP level before a complaint is filed with TEA staff.					
Reviewer Note: Check EPP files at TEA					

Component VII: Complaints Procedures	Certificate Class	Evidence	C/N or NA	Reviewer Notes	Reviewer Initials
19 TAC §228.70(b)(2-4) Complaints Process: Posted (2) The EPP shall post on its website a link to the TEA complaints website and information regarding how to file a complaint under the EPP's complaint policy; and (3) The EPP shall post a notification at all of its physical site(s) used by employees and candidates, in a conspicuous location, information regarding filing a complaint with TEA staff in accordance with 19 TAC §228.70(c)(1); and	All	Web posting; and Posting at physical site; and Written information for candidate available.			
(4) Upon request of an individual, the EPP shall provide information in writing regarding filing a complaint under the EPP's complaint policy and the procedures to submit a complaint to TEA staff in accordance with 19 TAC §228.70(c)(1).					

Component VII: Complaints Procedures	Certificate Class	Evidence	C/N or NA	Reviewer Notes	Reviewer Initials				
19 TAC §228.70(c)(4)(D)(iii) Complaint Resolution If the EPP complies with the agreed or proposed resolution, the investigation is closed and results recorded in accordance with subparagraph (E) of this paragraph.	All	Website posting; logs, sign in sheets, published handbooks or syllabi that reflect corrective action has been implemented.							
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Component VIII: Certification Procedures	Certificate Class	Evidence	C/N or NA	Reviewer Notes	Reviewer Initials
19 TAC §230.13(a)(1) and (b)(1) Teacher Certification: Degree	Teacher	Official transcripts			
 a) Initial standard classroom teacher certificatesshall require: (1) a <u>bachelor's degree</u> from an accredited institution of higher education; 					
b) Standard <u>career and technical education</u> certificates based on experience and preparation in a skill area shall require: (1) a <u>bachelor's degree</u> from an accredited institution of higher education. In the case of the trade and industrial education certificates, <u>experience may be substituted</u> for a bachelor's degree;					
19 TAC §230.13(b)(2) Teacher Certification: CTE (b) Standard career and technical education certificates based on experience and preparation in a skill area shall require: (2) preparation, experience, and/or licensure, certification, or registration in a skill area as described in 19 TAC §233.14;	Teacher	Documentation of preparation, experience, and/or licensure certification, or registration requirements.			

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19 TAC §230.13(a)(2) & §230.13(b)(3) Teacher Certification: Completion of EPP	Teacher	Record of EPP completion.			
 (a) Initial standard classroom teacher certificates that are not based on experience and preparation in a skill area shall require: (2) completion ofan approved educator preparation program (EPP) 					
 (b) Standard career and technical education certificates based on experience and preparation in a skill area shall require: (3) completion ofan approved EPP 					

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19 TAC §230.13(a)(2) & §230.13(b)(3) Teacher Certification: EPP Recommendation (a) Initial standard classroom teacher certificates that are not based on experience and preparation in a skill area shall require: (2)recommendation by an approved educator preparation program (EPP) by the application and issuance deadlines for the certificate; (b) Standard career and technical education certificates based on experience and preparation in a skill area shall require: (3)recommendation by an approved EPP by the application and issuance deadlines for the certificate;	Teacher	Record of EPP completion; and Recommendation date in ECOS.			

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19 TAC §241.60(2), §241.20(2), §242.20(3), §239.60(3), §239.84(3), & §239.93(3)	Principal	Official transcripts.			
Non-Teacher Certification: Degree	Superintendent				
To be eligible to receive the standardCertificate, a candidate must: (2) hold, at a	School Librarian				
minimum, a master's degree from an accredited institution of higher education	Educational Diagnostician				
that at the time was accredited or otherwise approved by an accrediting organization recognized by the Texas Higher Education	Reading Specialist				
Coordinating Board;					
19 TAC §239.20(3)	School	Official transcripts.			
Non-Teacher Certification: Degree	Counselor	ometal transcriptor			
To be eligible to receive the standard School					
Counselor Certificate, a candidate must:					
(3) hold, at a minimum, a 48-hour master's					
degree in counseling from an accredited institution of higher education that at the					
time was accredited or otherwise approved					
by an accrediting organization recognized by					
the Texas Higher Education Coordinating					
Board;					
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19 TAC §241.20(3), §241.60(3) & §239.84(4) Non-Teacher Certification: Valid Teaching Certificate To be eligible to receive the standardCertificate, a candidate must: hold a valid classroom teaching certificate;	Principal Educational Diagnostician	Valid classroom teaching certificate.			

19 TAC §242.20 Non-Teacher Certification: Superintendent Experience	Superintendent	Principal certificate or equivalent; or Written approval of		
To be eligible to receive the standard		managerial experience		
Superintendent Certificate, a candidate must:		from TEA.		
(4) hold, at a minimum, a principal				
certificate or the equivalent issued under				
this title or by another state or country;				
or				
(5) have at least three creditable years of				
managerial experience in a public school				
district.				
(A) The managerial experience must include responsibility for:				
(i) supervising or appraising faculty or staff;				
(ii) conducting district-level planning and coordination of programs, activities, or				
initiatives; and				
(iii) creating or maintaining a budget.				
(B) The candidate must <u>submit an</u>				
application to Texas Education Agency (TEA)				
staff for the substitution of managerial				
experience as defined in this paragraph. The				
TEA staff will review the application and will				
notify the applicant, in writing, of approval				
or denial within 60 calendar days from date				
of receipt.				

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19 TAC §241.20(4), §241.60(4), §239.20(4), §239.60(4), & §239.93(4) Non-Teacher Certification: Creditable Teaching Experience	Principal School Counselor	Service records.			
To be eligible to receive the standardCertificate, a candidate must: have two creditable years of teaching experience as a classroom teacher, as defined in 19 TAC Chapter 153, Subchapter CC, (relating to Commissioner's Rules on Creditable Years of Service) and the Texas Education Code, §5.001(2)	School Librarian Reading Specialist				

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19 §239.84(5) Non-Teacher Certification: Educational Diagnostician Creditable Teaching Experience	Educational Diagnostician	Service records.			
To be eligible to receive the standard Educational Diagnostician Certificate , a candidate must:					
have three creditable years of teaching experience as a classroom teacher, as defined in 19 TAC Chapter 153, Subchapter CC, (relating to Commissioner's Rules on Creditable Years of Service) and the Texas Education Code, §5.001(2).					

19 TAC §241.20(5), §241.60(5), §242.20(2), §239.20(1), §239.60(1), §239.84(1), & §239.93(1) Non-Teacher Certification: Complete an Approved Program	Non-teacher	Record of EPP completion such as benchmark documents or official transcripts.		
PIL: (5) successfully <u>complete a principal</u> <u>preparation program</u> that meets the requirements of 19 TAC §241.10, §241.15, Chapter 227, and Chapter 228.				
PRN: (5) successfully <u>complete a principal</u> <u>preparation program</u> that meets the requirements of 19 TAC §241.50, §241.55, Chapter 227, and Chapter 228.				
SPN: (2) successfully <u>complete a State Board</u> <u>for Educator Certification-approved</u> <u>superintendent preparation program</u>				
COU: (1) successfully <u>complete a school</u> <u>counselor preparation program</u> that meets the requirements of 19 TAC §239.10 and §239.15				
LIB: (1) successfully complete a school librarian preparation program that meets the requirements of 19 TAC §239.50 and §239.55				

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All	Met timeline for reporting; and			
All	Accuracy of ASEP reports (ECOS/ASEP records with			
	candidate records including admission records and field supervision documents.)			
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as required under Texas Education Code (TEC), §21.0443(b)(1) and (2), proactive instructional planning techniques throughout the coursework for candidates and across content areas and inclusive practices for all students, including students with disabilities, throughout coursework and clinical experience for candidates. TEC §21.0443(b)(1) To be eligible for approval or renewal of approval, an educator preparation program must: (1) incorporate proactive instructional planning techniques throughout coursework and across content areas using a framework that: (A) provides flexibility in the ways: (i) information is presented; (ii) students respond or demonstrate knowledge and skills; and	All	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Application of educator standards identified in syllabi/course outlines; or Application of educator standards identified in course/training lesson plans.			
(iii) students are engaged;					

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(B) reduces barriers in instruction; (C) provides appropriate accommodations, supports, and challenges; and (D) maintains high achievement expectations for all students, including students with disabilities and students of limited English proficiency; Effective 9/1/2022 19 TAC §228.10(a)(1)(J) as required under Texas Education Code (TEC), §21.0443(b)(1) and (2), proactive instructional planning techniques throughout the coursework for candidates and across content areas and inclusive practices for all students, including students with disabilities, throughout coursework and clinical experience for candidates. TEC §21.0443(b)(2) To be eligible for approval or renewal of approval, an educator preparation program must:	All	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Application of educator standards identified in syllabi/course outlines; or Application of educator standards identified in course/training lesson plans.			

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(2) integrate inclusive practices for all students, including students with disabilities, and evidence-based instruction and intervention strategies throughout coursework, clinical experience, and student teaching; Effective 9/1/2022 19 TAC §228.30(c)	All	Charte identifying			
Students with Disabilities The following subject matter shall be included in the curriculum for candidates seeking initial certification in any certification class: (9) instruction regarding students with disabilities, the use of proactive instructional planning techniques, and evidence-based inclusive instructional practices, as required under TEC, §21.044(a-1). Effective 9/1/2022	All	Charts identifying alignment of educator standards in curriculum; and Application of educator standards identified in syllabi/course outlines; or Application of educator standards identified in course/training lesson plans.			
19 TAC §228.35(e)(2)(A)(iii) Skills Implementation: Clinical Teaching is Successful-Proficiency	Teacher	Observation forms signed by candidate and field supervisor with date, start			

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Clinical teaching is successful when the candidate demonstrates proficiency in each of the educator standards for the assignment		and stop time, subject, and grade level, with record of educational practices observed.			
Effective 9/1/2022 19 TAC §228.35(e)(2)(B)(ix) Skills Implementation: Successful Internship-Candidate Proficiency An internship is successful when the candidate demonstrates proficiency in each of the educator standards for the assignment	Teacher	Observation forms signed by candidate and field supervisor with date, start and stop time, subject, and grade level, with record of educational practices observed.			
Effective 9/1/2022 19 TAC §228.35(e)(8) Skills Implementation: Successful Practicum/Clinical Experience a candidate must demonstrate proficiency in each of the educator standards for the certificate class being sought. Effective 9/1/2022	Non-teacher	Observation forms signed by candidate and field supervisor with date, start and stop time, subject, and grade level, with record of educational practices observed.			

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